AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

The Examiner has identified an error on page 8, line 2. Specifically the Examiner has indicated that the sentence "The alcohol is may be linear, branched or mixtures thereof, although preferably branched" is grammatically incorrect.

To remedy this objection, the Applicant is replacing the text of the relevant paragraph beginning on page 7, line 30 to page 8, line 6. The replacement paragraph reads as:

"The alcohols suitable for the invention include those with about 6 to about 24, preferably about 6 to about 20, more preferably about 8 to about 20 and most preferably about 8 to about 18 carbon atoms. The carbon atoms of the alcohol include a hydrocarbyl group, preferably, alkyl or cycloalkyl, more preferably alkyl or mixtures thereof. The alcohol [[is]] may be linear, branched or mixtures thereof, although preferably branched. The branched alcohols are present in an amount greater than about 5, preferably greater than about 10, more preferably greater than about 20, even more preferably greater than about 40 and most preferably greater than about 60 wt % of the alcohol molecules present."

The Examiner has identified an error on page 9, line 23. Specifically the Examiner has indicated that the phrase ""w is ti", should be replaced with "w is then". To remedy this objection, Applicant is replacing the text of the relevant paragraph beginning on page 9, line 20 to page 9, line 26. The replacement paragraph reads as:

"The mononuclear cyclic structure contains about 5 to about 8 atoms and preferably about 6 to about 7 atoms. The polynuclear cyclic structure contains about 8 to about 16 and preferably about 10 to about 12 atoms. w is [[tin]] then the range from about 4 to about 15, preferably about 5 to about 11, more preferably about 5 to about 8 atoms. The cyclic ring includes aromatic, non-aromatic or mixtures thereof, although non-aromatic is preferred."

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The Examiner has identified an error on page 17, line 27. Specifically the Examiner has indicated that the phrase "'w is ti", should be replaced with "w is then". To remedy this objection, Applicant is replacing the text of the relevant paragraph beginning on page 17, line 15 to page 17, line 30. The replacement paragraph reads as:

"The optional solvents include aliphatic solvents, aromatic solvents, alcohols, ethers, esters, an oil of lubricating viscosity or mixtures thereof. Examples of suitable [[the]] optional solvents include hexane, cyclohexane, heptane, mineral spirits, petroleum ether, benzene, toluene, xylene; iso-propanol, iso-butanol, 2-ethylhexanol, diethyl ether, methyl tert-butyl ether, ethyl acetate, iso-amyl acetate or mixtures thereof."